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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of September 23, 2003, having a due date for response extended by two months so as to expire February 23, 2003, please consider the following amendments and remarks. A request for a two-month time extension is forwarded herewith.

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